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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Kiyoshi Sato

Serial No. 10/025,040

Filing Date: December 26, 2001

For: Method for Manufacturing Perpendicular  
Magnetic Recording Head Having Inverted  
Trapezoidal Main Magnetic Pole Layer

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) Art Unit: 3729  
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Sir:

Attached is/are:

- ☒ Transmittal Letter (in duplicate); Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement; PTO-1449; Copy of Office Action dated August 10, 2004 for Japanese Patent Application No. 2000-394663; references B1-B4
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard

Fee calculation:

- ☒ No additional fee is required.
- ☐ Small Entity.
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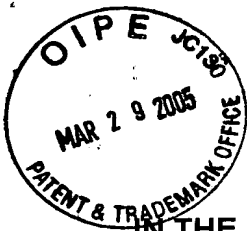
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ is enclosed.
- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-1925 in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_. A copy of this Transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.
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- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this paper (including any extension fee required to ensure that this paper is timely filed), or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-1925.

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Respectfully submitted,

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**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.97(i)**

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56 and §§1.97-1.98, and more particularly in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.97(i), Applicant hereby cites the following reference(s):

No.	Date of Publication
54-032985	03/1979
57-50436	03/1982
2000-339626	12/2000

Applicant is enclosing Form PTO-1449 (one sheet), along with a copy of each listed reference for which a copy is required under 37 C.F.R. §1.98(a)(2). Also enclosed is a copy of an Office Action dated August 10, 2004 for Japanese Patent Application No. 2000-394663. Applicant respectfully requests that the citation(s) be placed into the file wrapper of the application.

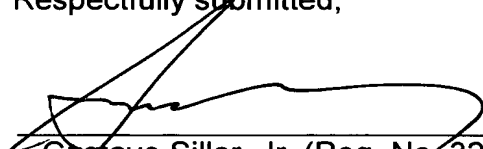
By submitting this Statement, Applicant is attempting to fully comply with the duty of candor and good faith mandated by 37 C.F.R. §1.56. As such, this Statement is not intended to constitute an admission that any of the enclosed references, or other information referred to therein, constitutes "prior art" or is otherwise "material to patentability," as that phrase is defined in 37 C.F.R. §1.56(a).

Applicant has calculated no fee to be due in connection with the filing of this Statement. However, the Director is authorized to charge any fee deficiency associated

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